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In re Application of:

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Before the Examiner:

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For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS  
FOR CULTURING A BIOLOGICAL  
TOOTHCommissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. section 1.136, Applicants hereby petition that the period for response to Examiner's action mailed November 15, 2002, be extended for three months to and including May 15, 2003.

Please apply the instant fee, in the amount of \$465.00, and any other charges or any credits to our Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

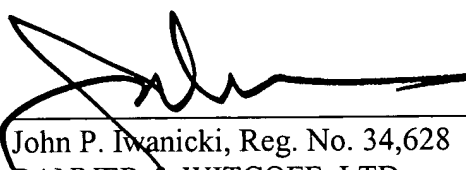
Respectfully submitted,

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